
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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Thereby

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RESPONSE TO MARCH 22, 2006 OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner:

This paper is submitted in response to the March 22, 2006 Office Action. A petition for a three-month extension of time, along with the corresponding process fee, is included with this paper, bringing the due date to September 22, 2006. Reconsideration of the application in view of the following remarks is respectfully requested.